



**WEATHER**  
Gen. fair, little change in temperature tonight, Thurs.; scattered thunderstorms.

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## AIRMEN SEEK TO ENROLL GUARD UNIT

Five Pilots Pledged; Squadron Has Need For Specialized Recruits

A local unit of the state guard air corps is being sought by aviation enthusiasts of Placerville and vicinity who report that the unit, if authorized, will be one of three units of an organization to be based at Auburn.

In addition to the Auburn flight, there will also be a flight based at Grass Valley which, with the Placerville flight, will make up the squadron.

Roger Douvres, Gene Kendall, C. W. Pearson, Roy Boom and Emmett Collins are prospective pilots of the organization and their number is sufficient to meet the minimum requirements for establishing the Placerville flight.

However, in addition to pilots, the flight would require an enlisted personnel of about twelve or fifteen men including mechanics, radio men, photographers and observers. It is reported that in the event the local group is formed, it would meet weekly, and alternately in Auburn and Placerville. Establishment of the local flight would also make the community eligible to share in whatever training facilities the federal government may in the future make available to state guard air units and would also be accomplished by the regular special instruction of the state guard air corps training course.

Men interested in uniting with the airmen, all of whom hold ratings of student pilots or better, are invited to communicate with any of the group named. It is understood that the question of whether the Placerville flight may be formed must be answered within the next week, and the answer will depend chiefly upon whether there is interest in having the local unit authorized.

## Old Koch Home Is Destroyed

Diamond Springs Family Loses Virtually All Effects In Fire Tuesday

The old home of August Koch, on the road to Pleasant Valley in east Diamond Springs, was destroyed by fire early Tuesday and the Thomas Taylor family, occupying the dwelling, lost virtually all of their effects.

State Division of Forestry firemen found the home ablaze and beyond saving when they arrived. They were able to save two outbuildings only twenty feet from the residence, and also a barn on the property.

The building was reported as a four-room structure and was one of the older buildings of the Diamond Springs vicinity.

## SOFT BALL STANDINGS

WOMEN'S DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct.
Caldor Girls	2	0	1.000
Legionettes	2	1	.667
Plymouth	1	2	.333
Lutz Motorettes	0	2	.000
A DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct.
Smith Flat	3	0	1.000
Lumberjacks	2	0	1.000
Diamond Lime	1	1	.500
P. S. E. A.	1	1	.500
Caldor	0	2	.000
49ers	0	3	.000
B. DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct.
Forest Service	2	0	1.000
Caldor CCC	2	1	.667
Foresters	1	1	.500
Motor Parts	1	1	.500
Mac's Jumbos	1	1	.500
Snowline CCC	0	3	.000

**GAMES TONIGHT** — Motorettes vs Caldor Girls; Forest Service vs Foresters; and Diamond Springs Lime Company vs Camino Lumberjacks.

## Soviet Amphibian Tanks Cross a River



Two Red army amphibian tanks cross an unnamed river somewhere on the Soviet-German war front. Reds claim rain and heavy resistance, particularly along river fronts, are bogging down Hitler's drive to the east.

C. P. Radiophoto

## NONAGENARIAN NATIVE DEAD

Mrs. Rosa Caples Haines Said To Have Been First White Girl Born In Town

RENO, (UP) — Mrs. Rosa Caples Haines, 90, widow of Nevada State Senator J. W. Haines and said to have been the first white girl born in (Old Hangtown) Placerville, California, died Tuesday evening.

She was a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Caples who had crossed the plains to Hangtown, arriving there in 1850.

Her husband had been a merchant and United States Marshall in early-day Sacramento and during the Civil War was in the Judge Advocate's department with the rank of Major.

The couple wed shortly following the civil war and settled in what later became Douglas County, Nevada. Mr. Haines participating in the Nevada state constitutional convention and later serving his home district as state senator. He passed away in 1900.

Mrs. Haines is survived by four grandchildren, Jack and Eugene Howell and Betty Woodburn, of Reno, and Haines Howell, of Sacramento, and by several grandchildren. A daughter, Maude Haines Howell passed away in 1932.

## MISS MARCELLA WARD TO WED ROBERT REEDER ON SATURDAY

A license to wed was issued Monday at the courthouse to Miss Marcella Ward, 22, and Robert Reeder, 25, both of Placerville. The couple had declared their intention to wed in an appearance at the clerk's office on June 27th.

It is understood that they plan to be wed on Saturday.

Miss Ward has been employed for several months past at the Anderson real estate office. Daughter of Mrs. Edith Ward, of this city, she is a graduate of the county high school, where she took an active part in girls' affairs. She is also a past officer of Placerville Assembly of the Rainbow. Upon her graduation she attended an art school at Los Angeles and was employed there in interior decorating.

Her husband-to-be, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reeder, of this city, and is an active member of Placerville Aerie of Eagles. Miss Ward and Mr. Reeder are both active in the Motor City Roller Club. Following a wedding trip into Oregon, they will establish their home in Placerville.

## GEORGETOWN LADY TO BE LAID AT REST IN RITES THURSDAY

Memory Chapel reports that funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ata Donaldson, 70, who died early Wednesday, will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late residence at Georgetown.

Following the rites, burial will be at Georgetown cemetery.

Mrs. Donaldson was a native of Indiana and had lived in California twenty-three years, making her home with her husband, Sherman J. Donaldson, at Georgetown for three and one-half years. Mr. Donaldson is a retired mining man. In addition to her husband, she is survived by a brother, Wildis B. Pelton, of Thompsonville, Michigan.

## Communists Change War Rally Cry

NEW YORK, (UP)—The Communist party changed its slogan today.

For a year and a half the rallying cry has been: "The Yanks are not coming."

Today, with Russia in the war, the Daily Worker published a new motto: "The Yanks are not coming too late."

## Auto Deaths Up 20 Per Cent

1,526 Killed In Traffic In State During First Six Months Of Year

SACRAMENTO—The Department of Motor Vehicles today announced traffic deaths for the first six months of 1941 totaled 1,526.

This is an increase of 526, or 20 per cent, over the figures for the first half of 1940.

Unless there is a marked change for the better, Department authorities said, the record for the last six months of this year will be considerably worse inasmuch as accidents usually are extremely heavy during the vacation months of July and August and in the late fall months.

June totals show 99 killed in the cities of California during the month and 166 in rural districts, a total of 265.

The record number of traffic deaths for the state, 3,139 in all, occurred in 1937. Department officials said that the present rate, the 1941 figure probably would be well above that amount.

## COUNTY'S QUOTA IN 14TH SELECTIVE SERVICE CALL, 3 MEN

The county Selective Service Board has received word that its quota for the fourteenth call in selective service will be three men, who will report Monday morning for induction at Sacramento.

The board has completed a preliminary list but it is understood that there is a possibility of volunteer enlistment of one of the men and this would change the picture.

## Mrs. Catherine Flaherty Died Tuesday Night

The funeral services for Mrs. Catherine Flaherty, who died Tuesday night at her residence in the Weber Creek section, are being concluded with the assistance of the Dillingham mortuary.

Mrs. Flaherty had lived in California since 1933 and had come to this county last February. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Helen Danziger and Mrs. Ann Hall, of this county; and three sons, Pat and Jim, of Sacramento, and John Flaherty, of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Carleton Hickman was a visitor Wednesday, coming down from Lake Tahoe where he and Mrs. Hickman are vacationing from their Sacramento home. Mr. Hickman reports the new residence being erected at his ranch property on Camino Ridge is nearing completion and that Mr. and Mrs. Culler may occupy their new home during the coming week.

Mrs. Ella Ayers is visiting with relatives and other friends at Sacramento.

## 1,080,932 IN SCHOOL DAILY

Attendance In State Up 1.23 Per Cent Over Figure For Year Before

SACRAMENTO, (UP) — Daily attendance in California public schools averaged 1,080,932 during the 1940-41 school year, the state department of education disclosed today.

The average was an increase of 13,100 over the previous year, or 1.23 per cent. The increase for elementary schools was only .39 per cent, which the department said was due to the lowered birth rate between 1925 and 1933.

High school enrollment increased 3 per cent during the year, while junior college attendance decreased 1.44 per cent. The average attendance was 679,860 for elementary schools, 370,596 for high schools and 30,476 in district junior college departments.

The department said: "The small increase in attendance in the elementary schools is accounted for by the fact that the decline in the birth rate which affected California between 1925 and 1933 continues to affect the enrollment in all of the elementary school grades excepting possibly the first and second grades."

"The major increase in high school attendance was caused almost entirely by increased attendance upon special day and evening classes."

"The minor decrease in district junior college enrollment undoubtedly was caused by withdrawals from junior college of students who have entered employment in the various industries essential to national defense."

## 3 INITIATED, 6 GET DEGREES AT SATURDAY MEETING OF RAINBOW ASSEMBLY

Three were initiated as members and degrees were conferred upon six others at a meeting of Placerville Assembly, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, on Saturday evening.

Eleanor Chalders presided as worthy advisor.

The three new members are Zella Virginia Emmerson, Virginia Brown and Shirley McCleary.

The marriage degree was conferred upon Betty Blair King and Donna Le Bourveau Simpson.

The majority service degree was conferred upon Madeline Vaughn, Barbara Smith, Betty Carpenter and Betty Bergantz.

## RUSSELL WILSON SUES TO RECOVER ON NOTE IN DEFAULT

Russell J. Wilson has brought suit in Superior Court against Ja-fet Lindberg and J. Van Damm, co-owners of the Greenwood Mine.

The complaint charges that on or about June 7, 1938 for the accommodation and convenience of the defendants, the plaintiff joined with them in signing a promissory note for \$1,200 at an Auburn bank. The note, it is alleged, was defaulted by the defendants and was paid by Mr. Wilson on July 11th, 1941.

Wherefore he asks judgment and that their mine property be sold to satisfy the judgment and costs.

Miss Jean Switzer, of Mendocino, returned home Wednesday following a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neibauer.

## 20 RACERS IN DERBY FINALS ON SUNDAY

Roseville, Auburn, Jackson, Sonora, Placerville Are Represented In Contest

The Mother Lode Finals in the Soap Box Derby, to be held Sunday on the lower Main Street course in Placerville, will bring together four boys from each of the five towns of the Mother Lode Soap Box Derby Association.

The winner will go to Akron, O., for the All-American Soap Box Derby and a chance to the large and attractive prize list which is topped by a college scholarship.

The Soap Box Derby is sponsored nationally by the Chevrolet division of General Motors and in the Mother Lode is sponsored by the Chevrolet dealers in the various communities in co-operation with certain of their local newspapers. Lloyd Cannon is the Chevrolet sponsor for El Dorado County.

Sunday's race will start at two o'clock with such dignitaries as Max Baer, the former heavyweight pugilist; Mrs. Harry Lepape, widow of the former Mother Lode Association president; Doug Montell, the radio sportscaster; Assemblyman A. G. Thurman and others in attendance.

Mrs. Lepape will present to the winner the Harry Lepape Memorial Trophy.

Montell will announce the races over a public address system to be supplied by the Standard Oil Company. Montell is visiting Placerville for the races through the courtesy of the Associated Oil Company. The Shell Oil Company will be in charge of the service pits.

Racers, their sponsors and the derby committee will have a luncheon at Hotel Raffles at noon, adjourning then to the course which is expected to be faster this time than in the county races, held two weeks ago, since the starting point has been raised about two feet.

El Dorado County entries in the Mother Lode Soap Box Derby, by reason of having qualified in the local race two weeks ago, are Dick Smith, Billy Owens, James Franklin and Glen Morris.

Four other boys similarly qualified from Jackson, Sonora, Roseville and Auburn will compete in the race making a grand total of twenty entries.

## 9 More Named To Defense Council

Unit May Be Called To Organize At Meeting In Near Future

The Board of Supervisors, in session Wednesday on budget problems, appointed nine private citizens of the county to membership in the Council of Defense, bringing the roster of the group to a total of fifteen.

It was indicated that the council may be called to a meeting in the near future, at a date agreeable to the majority, to perfect organization.

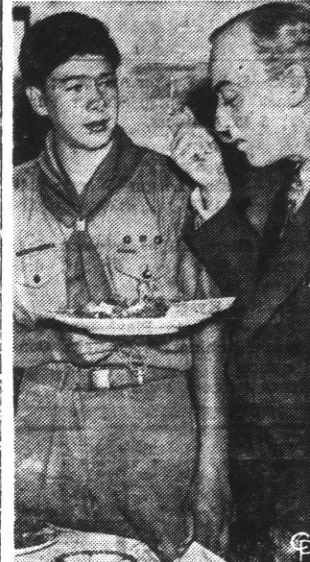
The Council of Defense as created in an ordinance lately adopted by the Board consists of the District Attorney, the Sheriff, the County Health officer, the Supervisor of Eldorado National Forest, and one member each of the Board of Supervisors and of the Placerville City Council.

This initial group, District Attorney Lyon, Sheriff Smith, Dr. A. A. McKinnon, Forest Supervisor Edwin F. Smith, City Councilman Howard Lewis and County Supervisor P. J. Hall, met Monday evening and recommended the appointment of the nine additional members.

With the official action of the supervisors on Wednesday, the names of the nine were publicly announced. They are, Charles E. Hand, Mrs. Maybelle Timm, Charles Doe, Roy G. Strum, John A. Winkelman, Joseph G. Hearn, A. H. Murray, B. E. Larson and Ed Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hynton I. Sharman report that their new home in the Fruit Ridge district on Carson Road, is nearing completion under the supervision of Chester Carver. Mr. Sharman says that the well on the property is down 110 feet and going further.

## Fish Fry Champ



Theodore Arnheiter, Jr., this year's champion Boy Scout fish fryer, offers a sample of his culinary art to Dr. Shirley Wynne, New York City's health commissioner, in the kitchen of the Hotel New Yorker, scene of the finals. Reward for victory is free trip to Newfoundland with the Atlantic fishing fleet.

## SPRING RUN-OFF SEASON ENDS

P. G. & E. Started Drawing From Storage On South Fork Water Shed Early Wednesday

The Spring run-off of melting snows on the water shed of the South Fork of the American River ended officially at four o'clock on Wednesday morning and at that hour the company started drawing from storage.

The first water taken came from Ropi Lake, American Lake and Lake of the Woods, aggregating 175 acre feet. These are comparatively small lakes and the water in them is "borrowed" each year by the power company and restored to the south fork of the American River at the intake during the dry months in the interest of keeping enough water in the stream bed below the intake to protect the fish life there.

The company's storage on the water shed includes Twin and Silver Lakes, Echo Lakes and Medley lake as well as the three smaller lakes. Medley Lake was created out of several smaller lakes by the building of thirteen dams in the Desolation Valley area.

Total water storage is approximately thirty-five thousand acre feet, the largest amount being at Twin Lakes, 21,000 feet. Silver Lake has 6,000 feet, Medley Lakes 5,000 feet and Echo 1,890 feet.

While the company is at liberty to draw on the full amount of storage, care is exercised to see that none of the lakes is depleted to a point where fish life is endangered.

## AGRICULTURAL DEFENSE BOARD PLANS TO ORGANIZE EARLY NEXT WEEK

L. R. Enzler, chairman of the recently-created United States Department of Agriculture Defense Board for El Dorado County, announced today the group will organize at a meeting in the Farm Advisor's office early next week.

Other members of the county board, announced this week by the California USDA board headed by Dave Davidson, are L. R. Enzler, chairman, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, I. W. Lilley, extension service; L. W. Veerkamp, farm credit administration; H. M. Lumsden, soil conservation service; W. L. Phelps, farm security administration, and Edwin P. Smith, forest service.

Enzler, who also is chairman of the county agricultural conservation association, said the initial meeting will be devoted to organization and discussion of the board's functions.

"Creation of a USDA defense board in each agricultural county of the United States, to expedite and coordinate defense activities with those of other defense agencies, is in accordance with Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard's order proclaiming national defense to be the department's first order of business for the duration of the emergency," Enzler said.

E. V. Lackey, of the regional forest fiscal agent's office at San Francisco, is spending several days on Eldorado Forest.

## RUSSIA TAKING INITIATIVE IN BATTLE

Hopkins Speeds To Moscow By Plane To Arrange For Support In War On Nazis

By UNITED PRESS

Reports from the fighting fronts today gave Russia an increasing edge in the battle against Nazi invasion and Harry L. Hopkins arrived in Moscow to discuss United States war aid to the Soviet with Josef Stalin.

Both from Russia and Germany came increasing indications that Soviet forces, having brought the Wehrmacht almost to a halt, are increasingly taking the initiative with powerful counterattacks, particularly in the vital Smolensk sector.

Hopkins' sudden and unexpected arrival in Moscow, accompanied by two American military aides, appeared tacit confirmation that high United States and British quarters view the Soviet defense with increasing optimism.

It is believed that the United States and Britain have only been waiting to make certain that Russia could establish a fairly firm and reasonably permanent front against Germany before rushing plans to give the Soviet extensive assistance in munitions and material.

The fact that Hopkins cancelled London engagements, including one with a member of the British royalty, to fly to Moscow may indicate an Anglo-American decision to move swiftly and forcefully to Russia's aid.

The Russo-German war reached (Continued on Page Four)

## U. S. Gunboat Is Damaged In Raid

New Yangtze River Incident Reported From Shanghai As Jap Planes Bomb Chungking

SHANGHAI (UP)—Japanese bombs today damaged the U. S. S. Tutuila, a gunboat of the United States Yangtze patrol, during a raid on Chungking. There were no casualties.

The Japanese raiders, Chungking reports said, dropped bombs directly over the Tutuila as the vessel was anchored in the so-called safety zone across the river from the capital.

One bomb was reported to have fallen only eight yards from the gunboat, carving in part of its stern and blowing some loose equipment off deck.

A small motor boat belonging to the Tutuila was sunk.

Another bomb landed 20 yards from the Tutuila, between the gunboat and the United States embassy. A third bomb damaged the residence of a member of the United States embassy staff.

Chungking was raided by 27 air bombers, authoritative quarters declared.

In June of 1940 the Tutuila was damaged in a Japanese bombing of Chungking and it was decided then to equip the vessel with additional anti-aircraft equipment. At that time a bomb fell within 300 yards of the vessel, the decks of which were splattered by bomb fragments.

The Tutuila, built in 1927, is of 370 tons and normally carries a crew of 58.

## EMPLOYMENT UP 6 PER CENT, PAYROLLS GAIN 8 PER CENT IN STATE FOR JUNE

SACRAMENTO (UP)—Factory payrolls and employment continued to increase in California during June as a result of the national defense program, State Labor Commissioner H. C. Carrasco reported today.

A preliminary tabulation revealed that manufacturing employment increased 6.1 per cent between May and June and payrolls rose 8.3 per cent, Carrasco said.

Fruit and vegetable canneries, expanding seasonally, increased payrolls by 12 per cent and employment by 85 per cent. Shipbuilding plants reported a gain in employment of 15.2 per cent and 35.2 per cent in payrolls. Aircraft plants added 5.3 more wage earners and increased payrolls 2.6 per cent.



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## On The Air Tonight

5 to 6 p. m.  
KFBK—News; 5:10 Royal Clowns;  
5:15 Treasure Island; 5:30 Capt.  
Danger; 5:45 Ted Steele; 5:55 the  
Nickel Man.

KROY—Ronnie Kemper; 5:15 Mat-  
inee Recital; 5:30 News; 5:35  
Henry Busse; 5:45 Homestead  
Boys.

KSPD—Millions for Defense.  
KPO—Introducing; 5:15 Charles  
Dant; 5:30 Concert; 5:45 Waltz  
Time.

KGO — Mexican Week Program;  
5:30 News; 5:45 Organ; 5:55 the  
Jingles.

KFRC—Helen Barker Art Talk; 5:15  
Black Flame; 5:30 Starter Park-  
er; 5:45 Airliners.

6 to 7 p. m.  
KFBK—Kay Kyser.

KROY—Major League Scores; 6:10  
Music; 6:15 News; 6:30 Juan Ar-  
visu; 6:45 News.

KSPD—Glenn Miller Program; 6:15  
Studio; 6:30 Juan Anvisu; 6:45  
News.

KPO—Kay Kyser.  
KGO — Authors Playhouse; 6:30;  
Brass Etchings; 6:45 News Con-  
ference.

KFRC—Soose-Abrams Fight.

7 to 8 p. m.  
KFBK — The Quiz Kids; 7:30;  
Manhattan at Midnight.  
KROY—Concert Orchestra Music;  
7:30 Alvino Rey; 7:55 News.

KSPD — Amos And Andy; 7:15;  
Lanny Ross; 7:30 Dr. Christian;  
7:55 News.

KPO — Music for Listening; 7:15  
Harry Kogen; 7:30 the Planta-  
tion Party.

KGO—See KFBK.

KFRC—Gabriel Heater; 7:15 News;  
7:30 War in the Air; 7:30 the Lone  
Ranger.

8 to 9 p. m.

KFBK—Easy Aces; 8:15 The Camp  
News; 8:30 Woody Herman.

KROY—Panfare; 8:30 Henry King.  
Baseball.

KSPD — News Quiz; 8:30 Studio;  
8:45 Music.

KPO — Quizzer Baseball; 8:30;  
Mr. District Attorney.

KGO — Easy Aces; 8:15 Today's  
Frontiers; 8:30 Chuck Foster; 8:55  
News Conference.

KFRC — Rhythm Adventures; 8:30;  
Brain Battle.

9 to 10 p. m.  
KFBK—Music in the Night; 9:30  
News; 9:35 Traveling Show.

KROY — Henry Busse; 9:15 Tiny  
Hill; 9:30 Deep Night; 9:55 News.

KSPD—News; 9:15 Baron Elliott;  
9:30 Deep Night; 9:45 Hedda  
Hopper.

KPO — Fred Waring; 9:15 Dick  
Himber; 9:30 Five Edwards.

KGO — Music in the Night; 9:30  
Enric Madriguera.

KFRC—News; 9:15 Fulton Lewis,  
Jr.; 9:30 Griff Williams; 9:45  
Teddy Powell.

10 to 11 p. m.

KFBK—10:30 Classic Hour.

KROY—Dick Jurgens; 10:30 Reid  
Tanner.

KSPD—News; 10:15 William Winter;  
10:30 Red Tanner.

KPO — The Richfield Reporter;  
10:15 Concert Hall Music; 10:30  
Glen Gray.

KGO—Music Baseball; 10:30 Glen  
Hurlburt.

KFRC—Freddy Martin Orchestra;  
10:30 Boake Carter; 10:45 Music  
Henry King.

MARINE CORPS ANXIOUS TO  
ENLIST MEN FOR SPECIAL  
STUDY AND TRAINING

The Marine Corps is desirous of  
enlisting men for training as spe-  
cialists. These marine-trained spe-  
cialists, according to Postmaster  
Anna Scherrer, receive from \$60 to  
\$157.50 per month in addition to  
their board, lodging, clothing, med-  
ical and dental attention.

Schools now having vacancies for  
specialists training include: En-  
gineering School, (water purifica-  
tion, heavy mechanical equipment,  
surveying, drafting, photography,  
map reproduction, refrigeration, de-  
moliations and camouflage);

Clerical School (stenography and  
typing);

Armored Force School (amphibi-  
an tanks, motorcycles, tanks, tank  
gunnery);

Motor Transport School (auto-  
motive mechanics and vehicle oper-  
ators);

Optical School (telescope, range  
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from Room 46, Federal Office Build-  
ing, San Francisco, or from the Ma-  
rine Recruiting Station in the Post  
Office Building at Sacramento.

Charles Leventon was a caller on  
Wednesday from Grizzly Flat.

11 p. m. to midnight

KFBK — Orchestra Music; 11:30;  
Dave Marshall; 11:45 News.

KROY—Abe Lyman; 11:30 Manny  
Strand; 11:55 News.

KSPD — News; 11:10 Orchestra;  
11:30 Manny Strand; 11:55 News.

KPO—Ted Lewis Orchestra; 11:30  
Glen Grey.

KGO—News; 11:15 Music You  
Want.

KFRC—Jimmie Lunceford; 11:30  
Leighton Noble.

KFRC — Orchestra; 11:30 Henry  
King Music.

## SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



\$1,000 Note Basis Of

Suit By Trustees

James K. Pierson, Nick Fox and  
David Williams as trustees for Pla-  
cerville Lodge No. 70, Knights of  
Pythias, have brought suit against

Elsie Crocker and others claiming  
\$1,000 as owing under the terms of  
a promissory note dated October  
14, 1940. Lot 5 of Block 9 in the city  
of Placerville is said to have been  
given as security for the note and  
its sale to satisfy the claim is pray-  
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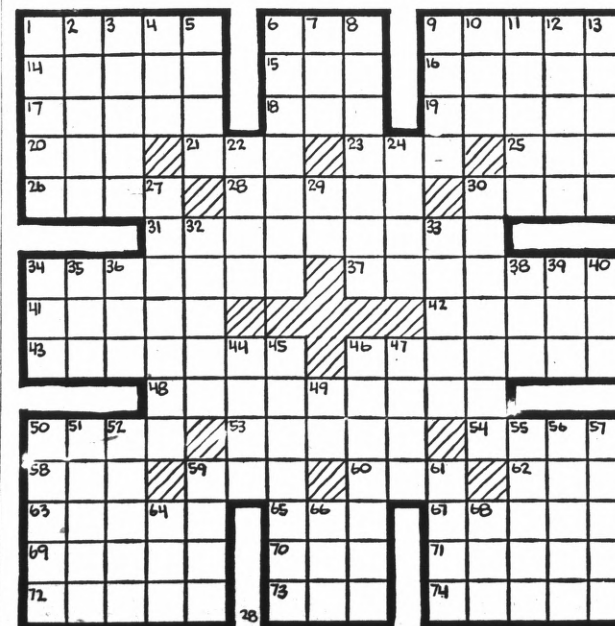
1—Semicircular recesses in church  
6 Sound made by ouzel  
9 Inlet sharp pain  
10 unpo  
14—Sarcophary  
15—Soluble division of time  
16 Local dwelling  
17 Scene of action  
18 Combining form gas  
19 Large genus of plants  
20 Girl's name  
21 Girl (slang)  
22 White linen vestment worn by clergy  
23 Go to right  
24 Man's name  
25 After with intent to defraud  
26 Stated to  
27 Dealer in headgear  
28 Ostensible  
29 Standard of perfection  
30 Watered silk fabric  
31 Loose garments  
32 Fought combat with another  
33 Military courage  
34 Hunt out evidence  
35 Rise in temperature to melting point of snow  
36 Openings (Latin)  
37 City of sheep  
38 Man's name  
39 Single  
40 Dialect (slang)  
41 Kind of hat  
42 Red face coloring

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

DOWN

1—Utility for purpose  
2—Lost (French)  
3—Move in stealthy manner  
4—Bring forth young (obscure)  
5—Volcanic scoria  
6—Immoderate partisans  
7—Anger  
8—Compare with

9 Piece with knife  
10 Type of towboat  
11 Adult insect, sexually matured  
12 Fictional prose narrative  
13 Avarice  
14 At a distance  
15 Light cotton fabric used for curtains  
16 Properties left after death  
17 Second note of scale  
18 Type of eight-line poem  
19 Reiter  
20 Ant  
21 That man  
22 Girl's name  
23—Twice five  
24 Nothing  
25 Exist  
26 Acted as head of girls' names  
27 Suffix occurring in names of Mohammedan Paradise  
28 Make wrathful  
29 Unwashed plants  
30 Impure variety of diamond  
31 Parts of circles  
32 Southern state (abbr.)  
33 In the past  
34 Not in



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Robin Godine, rich society girl, falls in love with Cary Craig, who is paying his way through medical school by working for an escort bureau. She hires him to go about with her. He secretly loves her but, because of her wealth, hides his feelings. Finally, deciding it is best to end things between them, he deliberately provokes a bitter quarrel. After this, he becomes so moved that his foster father, Jed Prosser, a beer-parlor proprietor, is worried about him. But Lyriss Moline, singer in the beer parlor, who is in love with Cary, is delighted that he has quarreled with Robin. He has never paid much attention to Lyriss, but she thinks up a scheme whereby she hopes to ensnare him. She persuades Jed to stage a "mock" wedding at the beer parlor, supposedly to help business. She is to be the bride, and she induces Cary to act as the groom. Her plan is to make it a real wedding, and she secretly makes the necessary arrangements.

## CHAPTER XVIII

THE day of the "mock" wedding had finally arrived. All afternoon, Lyriss, with the aid of Brad Molers, was busy decorating the beer parlor. There was an improvised altar banked with white roses. White paper bells and other decorations were strung round the room. An aisle was roped off with white satin ribbon—the aisle down which she was to walk, on Jed's arm, to meet Cary.

Lyriss did her best to hide her growing excitement, but she could not. It shone in her eyes, was betrayed in her frequent nervous laughter.

Brad did not fail to notice this. "You'd think," he remarked, giving her a curious look, "that this was a real wedding, you're so excited about it. You'd think you were really marrying the guy."

Lyriss glanced at him sharply. Was it possible Brad was growing suspicious? But how could he guess? She was momentarily uneasy, then shrugged away her fears.

The wedding was to be at nine. At seven, Lyriss went to change into her wedding clothes. She told Jed and Brad she would not return until just before the time set for the ceremony. She had already told them she was going to bring "the man I've hired for the minister," and she had told Cary to be on hand in plenty of time.

WHEN she reached her apartment, the first thing she did was to pull open a bureau drawer and take out the license she had obtained. The precious license! She had inspected it at least a dozen times. She now gazed over it, gazing at the names—"Lyriss Moline"—"Cary Craig."

Oh, they'd be married all right—as legally as two people could be married!

Lyriss trembled. Would Cary be perfectly furious when he discovered the truth? What if he never forgave her? What if she failed to win him over? But she mustn't fail!

Still trembling, she laid the license aside, and began to dress. An hour and a half later, she stood before her mirror. She drew her breath in sharply. She looked regal—beautiful! Lyriss knew she had more than her share of good looks, but never had she hoped to see herself as lovely as she was tonight. With her dark hair, dark eyes and classic features, white did things for her! Oh, Cary would forgive her! He could not help it!

Ready. All ready. Only, she did wish she wasn't so nervous. Silly to tremble like a schoolgirl.

THE Reverend Guernsey called for her promptly. She met him down stairs, showed him the license, answered a series of questions, and settled all the final details.

Then, they were on their way in a taxi. As they approached the beer parlor, they saw that a large and hilarious crowd had gathered outside. The taxi slowed down. Someone caught sight of Lyriss in her bridal costume, and let out a shout. "Here comes the bride!" Then the whole crowd was cheering.

Lyriss glanced quickly at the Reverend Guernsey and saw that he was scowling in disapproval. "We'll drive round to the back," she said hastily.

They drove round into a little alleyway, dismissed the taxi, and slipped into the building through the back door.

Lyriss ushered the minister into the office, told him to wait there, then went down the corridor to the doorway leading into the front room.

She peeped out. The place was packed. There was a hubbub of voices and laughter.

Lyriss' eyes swept over the room and came to rest on Cary, standing in a corner, talking to Jed. Thank heaven he had arrived! Her heart pounded as she gazed at him. She had always thought he was handsomer than any movie actor—but tonight, in full evening dress, he was the handsomest person she had ever seen!

She caught his eye, and beckoned to him and Jed. When they reached her she gave swift instructions. No time must be wasted. She must get this thing started before the minister had a chance to talk to Cary.

"We're all set," she said. "The man I got for the minister is back in the office. Cary, you go take your place; and Jed, you go take the pianist; we're ready; then come back for me."

She went to summon the minister, then returned to wait for Jed.

JUST THEN, there was a commotion at the front door. Laughter, shrieks, and snatches of song. A group of young people in evening clothes—society people from the look of them—were pouring in pell mell.

Lyriss stared. Why, it was... yes, there was no mistaking her! It was Robin Godine and her crowd! And that Bettina Bradley was with them. And Earl Gunder—Lyriss knew him from the pictures of him she had seen in the papers, usually posed with Robin Slumming, Lyriss thought, and she hated them all.

Earl had seized Robin's hand and was skipping about a table.

"Hi, y!" he shouted. "There's going to be a wedding! Hurrah! Hurrah!"

Then he and Robin burst into song:

"They're going to get married,  
Uh hum and uh haw!  
They're going to get married—  
And don't you tell Paw!"

Lyriss clenched her hands. That smartie Robin Godine would sing a different tune when she found out who was going to get married! So this was the girl who had tried to get Cary! Humph! She wasn't such a beauty! Those dark circles under her eyes and...

Then, suddenly, Lyriss saw Robin stop dead still. Her song had died on her lips. Lyriss was quick to see the reason.

Robin had caught sight of Cary... was staring at him, her face deathly white.

Lyriss glanced toward Cary. He was standing in his place like a ramrod, his face pale and set, his eyes straight ahead—deliberately avoiding those of Robin.

Then, the trap drummer was rolling his drum to attract attention, and the pianist rose to announce that the wedding was about to take place. Slowly, the hilarity died down, and an expectant silence enveloped the room.

The pianist resumed his seat and struck the opening chords of the wedding march. The minister was in his place. Everything was ready.

Lyriss' her eyes still on Cary, heard Jed's voice beside her "Come on, Lyriss..."

(To be continued)  
(The characters in this serial are fictitious)



# Neighborhood NEWS

## GEORGETOWN NEWS NOTES

After the hot spell of weather we were surprised Sunday morning to see a thick blanket of fog over our town. Cool weather has continued. This is very unusual for this time of year.

Word has been received that Bill Flynn, who is in the U. S. Navy is stationed at New Port, Rhode Island.

Mrs. Hector Williamson and family of Rescue visited her sister, Mrs. Florence Pratt here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Presby and Dick Clements made a trip to Sacramento and Lodi Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Betts and children, William, Arthur and baby Ross left Saturday for Detroit, on a motor trip to that city for a visit with Mrs. Betts' parents, relatives and friend—they expect to be away about four weeks. Mrs. Juanita Armour accompanied them as far as Salt Lake City where she expects to take transportation to North Dakota for a visit with her husband, Ogden Armour, who has spent the last few months there with his mother.

The big pile of old aluminum at Morgan's store is evidence of the success of the drive conducted this week, headed by George P. Morgan of the American Legion.

Mrs. Florence M. Pratt, the Canyon Creek school teacher, spent the weekend with her parents at Rescue.

Mrs. Ella E. Clements of Sacramento spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Presby and son, Dick Clements.

O. W. Lumry was here from Watsonville to spend a few days with his wife and her grand-mother, Mrs. Hattie Murrish, returning home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Early of San Francisco spent their two weeks vacation with their brother, J. Clarence Early near the Ranger Station.

Mrs. Matt Pintar and children, Matt and Virginia, sailed for Honolulu, T. H. last week to join Mr. Pintar who is employed on defense work there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Connors of Georgetown and Edward Connors of Oakland motored to Yosemite Valley last week for a few days. Miss Letta Stemm accompanied them as far as Escalon where she visited with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong Hilderbrandt.

Joe Morgan of Auburn spent the day Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Peter Morgan and family.

Mrs. Josephine Swift, Mrs. Dodson and son of Latrobe and Dan Bassi of Lotus were in town Sunday calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shepherd of Greenwood have returned home after several weeks visit with the Joe Atkinson family at Puente.

Mrs. Sid Hines and niece, Lynetta Anderson of Greenwood, spent the weekend at Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McNeil of Vallejo spent the weekend here with Mrs. McNeil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Asbill.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Baylis have returned from Modesto.

The Bible school closed Friday p. m. after a week of Bible study, wood and handicraft at the Methodist Church by about forty children who were supervised by Miss Eldora Yensen, Mrs. R. J. Nelson, Mrs. Ethel Breedlove and Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Surby. Rev. Rudkin, the pastor was present at the closing when the children displayed their handwork and who were presented with a diploma for their work done. Then, much to the delight of the youngsters, sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served.

Born, to Capt. and Mrs. Fred De Berry at San Francisco (and formerly of Georgetown) a son, June 29, 1941.

Mrs. Chas. E. Jerrett was shopping in Sacramento Friday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Clara Ruple of Placerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Donigan and baby of San Francisco and Mrs. Louisa Geiger of Vallejo spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith and family.

Bill Devine of Greenwood has returned home for a few days before leaving for the Stanford Lane Hospital in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zanini and son Sandy, left for Lake Tahoe Monday afternoon to spend a few days with Mr. Zanini's parents. Mr. Zanini has a speed boat and is going to put it on the lake for his own pleasure.

News that a Los Angeles couple chose the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Reeks of East Almond Ave., as the setting of their wedding Friday evening as 8 o'clock has just been received here. The Rev. A. G. Webber, pastor of Immanuel Lutheran Church, in the presence of a small group of relatives and friends, united in marriage Elizabeth Van Zanten and Sidney G. Sturman, the latter a retired mining expert. For her marriage the bride wore a chic frock of orchid crepe and a corsage of white gladioli petals. She had as her only attendant, Mrs. Lillian Toliver, wearing a frock in a soft shade of green and a corsage of gardenias. G. W. Reeks, brother-in-law of the bridegroom served as best man. During the wedding ceremony members of the bridal party stood in front of an improvised altar, banked with greenery and garden flowers and softly lighted with candles. A collation of wedding cake and ice cream was served during the congratulatory period. About thirty guests were present. The groom was a former resident of Georgetown and his acquaintances extend congratulations.

## CAMINO NEWS NOTES

The Camino Girl Scout troop left for Camp Peavine in Ice House canyon eight miles from Riverton on Sunday and some were to go on Monday. They will camp for ten days. The leaders include Mesdames Jack Corker, P. J. Brauner, Howard Cullers and Betty Rhines. B. M. Penny will assist and Russell Mienert will instruct in art work.

Elwood Yensen and Miss Hazel Eggert of Berkeley spent a few hours here with Elwood's folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. Yensen, on Sunday

## New Blood for the American Navy



Hundreds of Americans who never have set foot on a battleship have shed their blood for the U. S. Navy. A shipment of blood, dried and processed, is shown being taken aboard a warship at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. The dried blood plasma, donated by 1,500 Philadelphia volunteers, keeps indefinitely and mixed with sterile water is used for blood transfusions.

while on a sight-seeing trip with friends at Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reese and niece Maydell Reese of Elk Grove who were returning home from a two weeks vacation at Lake Tahoe were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reese on Monday.

S. A. Bivans and Curtis Peirce are among those who have purchased new cars recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fairbairn and son, Rob, were guests of L. Carroll of Eugene, Oregon, on a motor trip to San Francisco Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Fairbairn and Mrs. John Montgomery were the hostesses Friday evening at a pink and blue cradle shower given in honor of Mrs. Hugh Schaffer, Jr., at the Fairbairn home. The table decorations were carried out in the stork motif. The evening was spent at playing cards. Mesdames Hugh Schaffer, Jr., C. P. Stevens, Donald Hook, took home the prizes. Refreshments were served followed by the opening of gifts. Among those invited were Mesdames Swift Berry, Art Braden, Pete Boromini, T. Ball, J. Corker, C. Crocker, M. Crocker, Miss Sybil Crocker, C. Devine, Q. Federici, L. Galluppi, J. B. Hughes, P. Hottinger, Donald Hook, Mary Johnson, Edgar Kimble, Clayton Logan, Placerville; P. McNie, Allen Potts, Hugh Schaffer, Sr., C. P. Stevens, Geo. Sims, D. O. Thomas, Harry Tuthill, Emma Witmer, J. J. Wiley, Jack Williams, Geo. Burrows, Bert Pierroz, Placerville, and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reese of Penryn left for their home on Sunday after spending a few days with the latter's mother, Mrs. J. C. Rasmussen.

Mrs. Hogar Hellman left last week for Klamath Falls to visit with relatives.

H. Taylor left for Michigan on Thursday to spend a couple weeks with his brother.

Chester Carsten spent the weekend in Sacramento.

Walton Ward spent the weekend around the bay. Mrs. Harry Ward and daughter, of Pittsburg, returned here with him on Sunday for a vacation.

Wilma Austin is at Yuba City visiting Patsy Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson, of Stockton spent the weekend at the Cable with friends.

Edw. Cross and family returned to their home in Oakland on Wednesday after spending ten days with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Gardella.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barkley and daughters motored to Santa Cruz Sunday and were accompanied by Mrs. Milton Miller who will attend the teachers summer school.

Mrs. L. Galluppi, Mrs. Glen Keding, Kay Stevens and Bobbie Taylor spent most of last week on a camping trip at Wrights Lake.

Mrs. Donald Hook and her niece, Betty Houghton, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Joe Yensen, daughter Eldora, and their guest, Miss Mabel Yensen of Scottsbluff, Neb., spent Monday of last week at Lake Tahoe and visited Bettina Yensen at Zephyr Point, Nevada, with Dr. Sorace's family.

Mrs. Charles E. Wood of Cathlamet, Ore., and Mrs. M. Bartlett of Fresno were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Kimble on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams were fishing at Big Silver Saturday.

Hershel Snyder and Hank Dyas were fishing at Lake of the Woods.

Mrs. Emma Witmer returned on Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Oakland and Sacramento.

Mrs. Art Braden and daughter of Pino Grande are visiting relatives in Camino.

Mrs. Wm. Taylor and new daughter, Joan Phyllis, returned from the Sanatorium Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rose of Berkeley are visiting at the Burrows

spent the weekend at the powerhouse with Mr. and Mrs. George Sterner.

## POLLOCK PINES NEWS

The Pioneer Club was entertained at Blairs Mill by Mrs. Henry Pimental and Mrs. John Marshall last Thursday. The club members all brought makings for a pot luck dinner and assembled about 10:30 for a day of sewing, visiting and picnicking later in the afternoon at the swimming hole on the river. Some of the members and the children enjoyed swimming. Fourteen members enjoyed the outing and voted to repeat it soon. The next meeting is to be August 7, at the home of Mrs. Viola Renshaw.

Mrs. Will Baumhoff is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Frances Crowell of Sacramento for a couple of weeks—the latter has just returned from a four months visit with her son in Alaska.

Mrs. Perry Bason called a meeting of Girl Scouts at her home on Saturday to plan for their annual camping trip.

Lenore Ahlstrom was hostess to ten of her friends Saturday, celebrating her eleventh birthday anniversary.

Miss Bernice Baumhoff returned recently from a visit in Medford, Oregon, with her college room mate, Miss Betty Hardy of that city. Bernice also stopped at Glenburn, Shasta county to visit relatives on her return trip.

Mr. and Mrs. McMurphy and family and Mary Sharp returned recently from a trip to Klamath Falls, Ore., to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cox have leased their home here and after a few weeks visiting her daughter in Sacramento, Mrs. Cox and Winifred will join Mr. Cox in their new location at Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bell returned Sunday from a three weeks vacation in Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Pollock are entertaining Mrs. Alma Pollock of Sacramento and Mrs. Pollock's niece, Mrs. Nettie Allan.

Special P. T. A. meeting called for Thursday, July 31, at the home of Mrs. Ahlstrom—big plans afoot—everyone come, please.

## COLOMA NEWS NOTES

Miss Fern Finnegan of Chico visited her uncle, Henry Kane, last week.

Mrs. Otheto Weston, the artist who had a studio here last spring, is now in business at Donner Summit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gaylord of Sacramento was calling on Coloma friends Sunday. Mrs. Gaylord is the former Miss Etta Kies, born in

Coloma, her father publishing the Mountain Democrat in the early 60's and her husband is the youngest son of the pioneer Gaylord family who for years owned what was known as Gaylord's Bridge, now the Williamson property.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Wilson and daughter Yvonne, of Chadron, Nebraska, visited another daughter, Mrs. Gladys Smelan, here last week. On Thursday the entire party, accompanied by Robert Geigline, spent the day at Lake Tahoe, coming home by way of Donner Lake.

Miss Frances Ann Chapman concluded a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Sarah Cummings, and returned Sunday to her home in San Francisco.

Everett De Lory is up from Wood-



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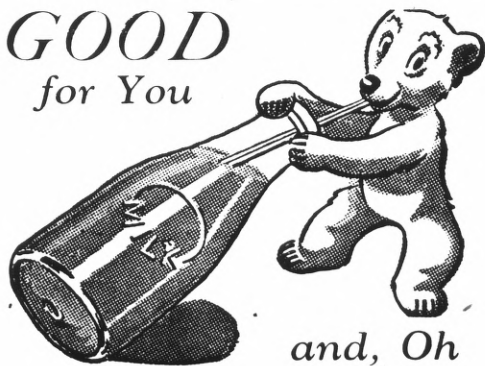


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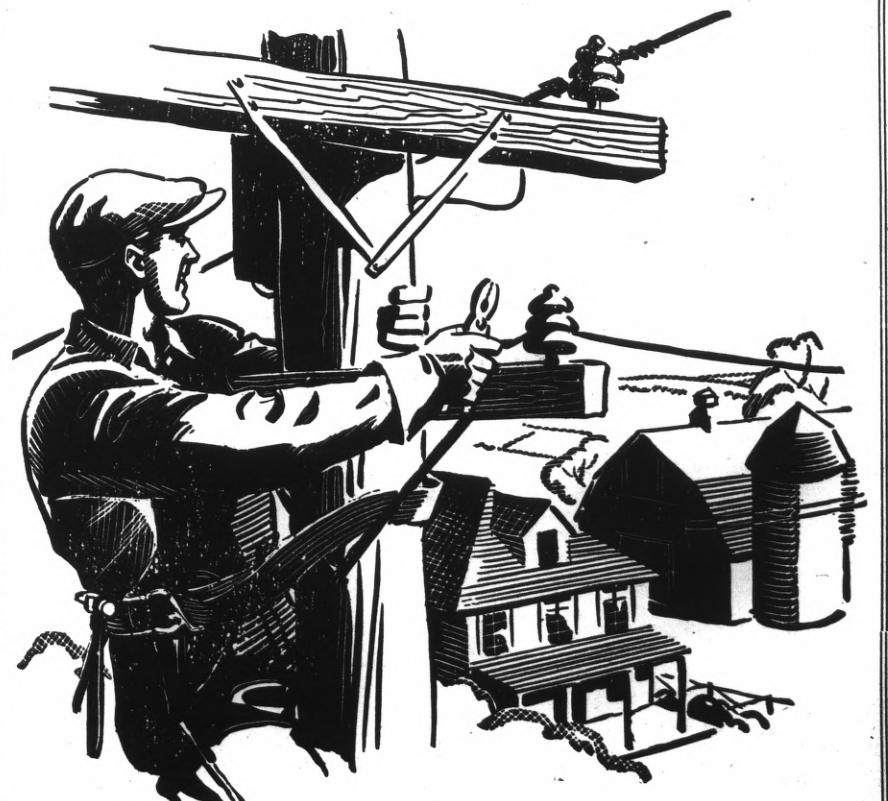
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land spending the week with his mother.

We hear Frank Amstalden, who is visiting his sister, Mrs. Kate Harmon in Stockton is not very well, having suffered a slight stroke last week.

Mrs. H. Barnes and daughter Miss Marylan were in Sacramento Friday assisting grandmother Chastain celebrate her birthday.

Robt. Johnson, Fred Thomas and E. Thole attended installation at the I. O. O. F. lodge in Georgetown Saturday night.

Mrs. Rose Ashley was over from Auburn visiting her brothers this weekend.

Tuesday evening Mrs. Annie Jaeger, Mrs. Minnie Marchini and Mrs. Eugenia Fleming celebrated their birthdays with a pot luck supper at Marshall Park. A large party of friends accompanied them.

In the neighborhood of 300 persons registered at Marshall Park on Sunday, some dozen different distant states being represented. H. Barnes has made arrangements for those who wish to enjoy horseshoe pitching to do so.

MISSOURI FLAT NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. August Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wolf of Rio Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staudt of Elverta, old-time friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller, and Frank Miller enjoyed a lovely visit and a picnic dinner on the Miller ranch on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Miller were at Lake Tahoe over the weekend.

U. C. Meyers of Placerville and Mrs. W. Christian and daughter

Carroll of Kelsey were callers at the A. L. Miller home last week.

Mrs. W. Maderos and children are visiting her mother at Colfax for a few weeks.

Leland Boles was home over the weekend. He is working at Vacaville.

H. Phillips and daughter Helen called at the Speegle home Sunday afternoon to see Lowell and Charles Phillips.

Mrs. Bryan and daughter, Mrs. Stone were visitors at the Davis home recently.

SHINGLE SPRINGS NEWS

Misses Phyllis and Shirley Barton returned home after a month or more spent on a vacation at Cisco and Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carpenter called on friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McNeal of Sacramento were callers on Mrs. McNeal's mother, Mrs. Wallace, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scheiber spent the weekend at Silver Creek. They report a thunder storm which prevented any fishing.

Mrs. Louie Ybright and son Allen made a trip to Sacramento on Friday.

Louis Martinez, stereotyper with the Oakland Tribune, is here with Mrs. Martinez, the former Fern Jeffreys, for a vacation visit with relatives and other friends. Mr. Martinez is an old friend of many of the older residents of the community.

George Volz was in Amador County Wednesday on Agricultural Conservation Association business.

Elwyn Raffetto and daughters are here from San Francisco for a vacation visit with Grandpa John A. Raffetto and other relatives and friends.

The Battle of Beauty



Beauties of Venice, Cal., resent the monopoly Atlantic City, N. J., apparently has on the beauty business and stage a demonstration to show how they feel. Venice says America's first bathing beauty contest was staged there in 1912. This year Venice plans to stage its own contest to select Miss America of National Defense. There have been no communiques from Atlantic City.

Russia Gaining Initiative

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its 39th day today. This broke all previous records for Nazi military campaigns. Thirty-nine days from the start of Germany's offensive in the west last year France was suing for an armistice. Thirty-nine days from the start of the offensive into Russia Germany had overrun more square miles of territory than in western Europe but had failed to break the fighting power of the Red army and still appeared far from any of her goals—crushing of Russian military power or seizure of the three main Soviet cities of Leningrad, Moscow and Kiev.

German communiques still glow with confidence but have become increasingly chary of geographic claims. No official Nazi claim of any specific success on the main battle fronts has been made since the capture of Smolensk two weeks ago today. After 14 days of continuous fighting in the Smolensk area there is strong grounds for belief the city is actually still in Russian hands.

In London there was an evident increase in optimism despite Prime Minister Winston Churchill's warning against such a feeling yesterday.

It was noted that August is at hand and there seems to be no strong indication that the Germans can conclude their offensive in Russia in another four weeks. That, in the British view, virtually precludes Adolf Hitler from attempting the invasion of the British Isles this autumn.

In addition, London believes, if Hitler cannot win a decision in Russia by mid-September he is unlikely to win one this year and is faced with the peril of the severe and early Russian winter.

Russian military communiques for the first time since the start of the Nazi attack took on a tone of guarded optimism. They reported that at several points on the long front the Soviet had seized the initiative.

Particularly in the Smolinsk region, the Russians reported, their counterattacks have forced the Germans back while to the German rear guerrilla action was said to be on such a scale that the Nazis had been forced to divert tanks, armored cars and motorcycle units to deal with it.

The midnight Soviet communique mentioned a new fighting sector, that of Novorzev, west of the Nevel-Porkhov line and 130 miles to the north-northwest of Vitebsk. Novorzev is only 40 miles from the Latvian eastern border.

Soviet spokesmen claimed that the Germans have suffered 1,500,000 casualties since the war started, losing 5009 tanks and 3000 planes.

Roselin Hayes has brought suit for divorce from Jack W. Hayes, charging that he is indolent and lazy. The complaint states the couple wed at Carson City, June 14, 1939 and separated May 18, 1941. They have one child and are expecting another. Plaintiff prays for the custody of the children and an award for their support.

Audry Lang has brought suit for divorce from Glenn Lang, charging cruelty. The complaint states the pair wed at Yreka, June 16, 1934, and separated July 24, last. They have two children whose custody the plaintiff prays, together with an award for their support, and community property consisting of household goods valued at \$75.

Beatrice Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, is reported as getting along nicely following an emergency operation for appendicitis, performed Tuesday at the Sanatorium.

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NAVAL RECRUITER TO VISIT PLACERVILLE TUESDAY OF NEXT WEEK

Chief Electricians Mate A. R. Hill, of the Navy recruiting staff at Sacramento, will pay his regular visit to Placerville on Tuesday of the coming week, headquarters at Room 1 in the basement of the postoffice.

Young men interested in discussing with him the opportunities for service in the Navy will find him at the office from noon until three o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Hill states he will be glad to answer any questions concerning service in the Navy.

The firm of Lewis and Lewis has brought suit undertaking an attachment against Frank Schmehsal in the amount of \$535.86, claimed owing on account.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knacke and Mr. and Mrs. George McKee devoted Sunday to an outing in the Wentworth Springs vicinity and home via Pino Grande. A severe thunder shower turned them back from Wentworth Springs proper.

The Masonic Hall Association has installed venetian blinds on the second and third floor windows on the Main Street side of the building, as another in the series of improvements to the property.

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